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Table 1: Economy

		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter						
Unemployed persons	no.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Unemployment rate	%	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June						
Non-taxable individuals	no.	107	122	130	60	-
Taxable individuals	no.	775	801	814	63	-
Taxable income	$m	28.9	30.7	33.5	2.3	-
Average taxable income	$	37 284	38 348	41 150	35 768	-
Net tax	$m	6.1	6.6	7.3	0.4	-
Average net tax	$	7 839	8 210	9 018	6 697	-
Average net tax ratio	%	21.0	21.4	21.9	18.7	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS * - year ended 30 June						
Wage and salary earners	no.	772	798	812	856	-
Wage and salary income	$m	28.0	29.5	32.3	36.5	-
Total income	$m	28.6	30.2	32.9	37.5	-
Average wage and salary income	$	36 227	36 947	39 725	42 700	-
Average total income	$	37 043	37 816	40 557	43 805	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX * - year ended 30 June						
Males - 15 years to 24 years	no.	124	121	112	113	-
Males - 25 years to 34 years	no.	143	144	144	146	-
Males - 35 years to 44 years	no.	107	110	111	124	-
Males - 45 years to 54 years	no.	55	60	65	70	-
Males - 55 years and over	no.	19	22	23	27	-
Males - Total	no.	447	456	456	479	-
Females - 15 years to 24 years	no.	62	68	72	77	-
Females - 25 years to 34 years	no.	114	115	115	117	-
Females - 35 years to 44 years	no.	88	91	94	99	-
Females - 45 years to 54 years	no.	46	51	54	61	-
Females - 55 years and over	no.	15	17	20	22	-
Females - Total	no.	325	342	356	377	-
Persons - 15 years to 24 years	no.	186	189	185	190	-
Persons - 25 years to 34 years	no.	257	259	259	263	-
Persons - 35 years to 44 years	no.	195	200	205	223	-
Persons - 45 years to 54 years	no.	101	111	120	131	-
Persons - 55 years and over	no.	34	39	43	49	-
Persons - Total	no.	773	798	812	856	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION * - year ended 30 June						
Managers and Administrators	no.	-	46	48	53	-
Professionals	no.	-	82	81	88	-
Associate Professionals	no.	-	61	65	69	-
Tradespersons and Related Workers	no.	-	83	87	98	-
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	no.	-	15	17	15	-
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	-	143	148	159	-
Intermediate Production and Transport Workers	no.	-	54	55	58	-
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	-	78	81	83	-
Labourers and Related Workers	no.	-	53	53	59	-
Not Stated	no.	-	200	177	171	-
Total wage and salary earners	no.	-	815	813	855	-
PERSONS WITH OWN UNINCORPORATED BUSINESS * - year ended 30 June						
Males						
Males with own unincorporated business	no.	43	39	36	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	1.2	1.2	1.2	-	-
Total income	$m	1.3	1.2	1.2	-	-
Average own unincorporated business income	$	27 641	30 252	32 435	-	-
Average total income	$	29 497	31 828	34 570	-	-
Females						
Females with own unincorporated business	no.	14	14	14	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	0.3	0.3	0.3	-	-

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Total income	$m	0.3	0.3	0.4	-	-
Average own unincorporated business income	$	21 733	21 110	23 157	-	-
Average total income	$	23 812	23 545	25 587	-	-
Persons						
Persons with own unincorporated business	no.	57	53	50	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	1.5	1.5	1.5	-	-
Total income	$m	1.6	1.6	1.6	-	-
Average own unincorporated business income	$	26 232	27 856	29 811	-	-
Average total income	$	28 141	29 657	32 029	-	-
COUNTS OF BUSINESS ENTRIES AND EXITS						
Number of Businesses - at 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	186	141	141	141
Employing businesses: 1 to 4 employees	no.	-	60	66	75	87
Employing businesses: 5 or more employees	no.	-	57	63	75	81
Total businesses	no.	-	303	270	291	309
Business Entries - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	-	39	30	39
Employing businesses	no.	-	-	9	9	27
Total business entries	no.	-	-	48	39	66
Business Exits - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	-	39	45	24
Employing businesses	no.	-	-	0	6	12
Total business exits	no.	-	-	39	51	36
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June						
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	no.	-	6	6	9	9
Mining	no.	-	6	6	6	6
Manufacturing	no.	-	30	24	30	33
Electricity, gas and water supply	no.	-	3	3	0	3
Construction	no.	-	93	84	93	99
Wholesale trade	no.	-	6	3	3	3
Retail trade	no.	-	57	51	42	39
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	no.	-	0	3	3	3
Transport and storage	no.	-	15	15	15	15
Communication services	no.	-	3	3	3	3
Finance and insurance	no.	-	3	6	9	6
Property and business services	no.	-	54	42	57	66
Education	no.	-	0	0	0	0
Health and community services	no.	-	6	3	3	3
Cultural and recreational services	no.	-	9	6	6	6
Personal and other services	no.	-	12	15	12	15
Total businesses	no.	-	303	270	291	309

* These data relate to persons for whom this source of income was their principal source of income for the relevant financial year

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Table 2: Population/People

		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June						
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	101	109	117	138	175
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	80	92	97	109	139
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	70	74	87	103	120
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	56	68	74	74	99
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	66	62	61	73	90
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	107	119	124	131	144
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	92	106	120	146	191
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	86	92	92	104	140
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	83	99	112	120	147
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	50	57	68	80	102
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	38	44	50	59	80
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	26	31	33	36	47
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	17	19	20	20	26
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	10	13	17	21	28
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	6	6	9	9	21
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	6	6	6	10	12
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	6	6	3	4	3
Males - 85 years and over	no.	0	3	4	3	5
Males - Total	no.	900	1 006	1 094	1 240	1 569
Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	91	102	114	127	149
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	78	77	81	94	129
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	69	75	86	88	107
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	56	64	67	76	82
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	63	64	67	70	90
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	93	96	102	117	151
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	105	121	132	148	167
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	76	83	96	113	149
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	72	85	87	89	110
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	41	46	53	72	107
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	41	42	44	46	55
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	20	22	27	30	38
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	15	18	23	24	30
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	6	6	6	13	15
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	9	9	9	3	10
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	3	6	6	12	15
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	6	3	0	3	13
Females - 85 years and over	no.	4	4	3	6	6
Females - Total	no.	848	923	1 003	1 131	1 423
Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	192	211	231	265	324
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	158	169	178	203	268
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	139	149	173	191	227
Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	112	132	141	150	181
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	129	126	128	143	180
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	200	215	226	248	295
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	197	227	252	294	358
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	162	175	188	217	289
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	155	184	199	209	257
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	91	103	121	152	209
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	79	86	94	105	135
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	46	53	60	66	85
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	32	37	43	44	56
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	16	19	23	34	43
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	15	15	18	12	31
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	9	12	12	22	27
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	12	9	3	7	16
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	4	7	7	9	11
Persons - Total	no.	1 748	1 929	2 097	2 371	2 992
POPULATION DENSITY - at 30 June						
Population density	persons/km²	-	-	-	-	74.9
INDIGENOUS POPULATION - Census 2006						
Percentage of total population	%	-	-	-	-	11.8
OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006						
Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	-	-	-	3.1
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	-	-	-	5.2
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	-	-	-	0.8
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	-	-	-	0.1
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	-	-	-	2.6
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	-	-	-	0.1
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	-	-	-	0.5
Born in Americas	%	-	-	-	-	0.2
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	-	-	-	0.3
Total born overseas	%	-	-	-	-	13.0

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SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006						
Percentage of total population aged 15 years and over	%	-	-	-	-	7.2
LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006						
Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-	-	-	1.2
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-	-	-	1.7
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-	-	-	7.6
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-	-	-	7.5
Certificate	%	-	-	-	-	23.4
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-	-	-	20.7
Total with qualifications	%	-	-	-	-	62.0
OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006						
Managers	%	-	-	-	-	13.5
Professionals	%	-	-	-	-	15.0
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-	-	-	17.0
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-	-	-	14.1
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-	-	-	19.5
Sales Workers	%	-	-	-	-	7.4
Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-	-	-	6.8
Labourers	%	-	-	-	-	5.6
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-	-	-	1.2
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006						
Lone person households	no.	-	-	-	-	114
Group households	no.	-	-	-	-	34
Family households	no.	-	-	-	-	668
Total households	no.	-	-	-	-	813
FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006						
Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-	-	-	342
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-	-	-	26
Couple families without children	no.	-	-	-	-	242
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-	-	-	62
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-	-	-	8
Other families	no.	-	-	-	-	3
Total families	no.	-	-	-	-	683
INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006						
Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-	-	-	1 536
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-	-	-	846
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-	-	-	585
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-	-	-	1 302
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006						
Major Cities	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Inner Regional	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Outer Regional	%	-	-	-	-	100.0
Remote	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Very Remote	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006						
Major Urban	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Other Urban	%	-	-	-	-	96.4
Bounded Locality	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Rural Balance	%	-	-	-	-	3.6
UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006						
Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-	-	-	17.0
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	29.6
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	7.4
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	2.6
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-	-	-	7.2
ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006						
Broadband connection	%	-	-	-	-	40.5
Dial-up connection	%	-	-	-	-	32.4
Other connection	%	-	-	-	-	1.0
Total internet connections	%	-	-	-	-	73.9
BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December						
Births	no.	49	60	47	64	80
Total fertility rate	rate	1.9	2.6	2.8	2.8	2.7
Deaths	no.	8	9	9	9	14
Standardised death rate	rate	6.9	9.9	12.5	11.7	11.2

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Table 3: Industry

		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June						
Private sector houses	no.	82	45	60	94	144
Total dwelling units	no.	107	52	68	103	151
Value of total residential building	$m	15.3	8.7	13.8	23.2	37.3
Value of total non-residential building	$m	2.9	3.2	2.8	9.2	12.6
Value of total building	$m	18.1	12.0	16.6	32.5	49.9
NEW MOTOR VEHICLE SALES - year ended 30 June						
Passenger vehicles	no.	40	41	45	49	58
Other vehicles	no.	23	25	30	43	47
Total new motor vehicle sales	no.	63	66	74	92	106
MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March						
Number by type of vehicle						
Passenger vehicles	no.	1 069	1 086	1 144	1 175	1 273
Campervans	no.	0	3	3	0	0
Light commercial vehicles	no.	277	292	318	342	379
Light rigid trucks	no.	0	4	5	5	5
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	20	19	19	20	21
Articulated trucks	no.	4	3	5	7	8
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	3	0	3	3	3
Buses	no.	13	14	14	17	16
Motorcycles	no.	59	59	62	62	75
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	1 446	1 481	1 571	1 632	1 781
Number per 1,000 population						
Passenger vehicles	no.	612	563	546	496	425
Campervans	no.	0	2	1	0	0
Light commercial vehicles	no.	158	151	152	144	127
Light rigid trucks	no.	0	2	2	2	2
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	11	10	9	8	7
Articulated trucks	no.	2	2	2	3	3
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	2	0	1	1	1
Buses	no.	7	7	7	7	5
Motorcycles	no.	34	31	30	26	25
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	827	768	749	688	595
Number by type of fuel						
Petrol - Leaded	no.	203	168	154	130	111
Petrol - Unleaded	no.	1 023	1 084	1 167	1 226	1 367
Diesel	no.	194	203	225	253	279
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	27	26	24	23	24
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES * - year ended 30 June						
Total area						
Area of holding	ha	-	-	-	-	0.0
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-	-	-	0.0
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-	-	-	0.0
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-	-	-	0.0
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-	-	-	0.0
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-	-	-	0.0
Total number						
Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-	-	-	0
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-	-	-	0
Meat cattle	no.	-	-	-	-	0
Pigs	no.	-	-	-	-	0

* Agricultural commodities data is subject to relative standard error (RSE) - for further information see ABS cat no. 7125.0

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Table 4: Environment/Energy

		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
LAND AREA						
Land area	km^2	-	-	-	-	39.9

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